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VIA ECF

The Honorable Steven Tiscione
United States District Court
Eastern District of New York
100 Federal Plaza
Central Islip, NY 11722

Re: *Strain, et al v. Southwest Airlines Co., Case No. 2:24-cv-08885 (SJB) (ST)*

Dear Judge Tiscione:

Our firm represents Plaintiffs Richard Strain and David Garner, along with the FLSA opt-in plaintiffs and the prospective class, in the above-captioned matter. Pursuant to Your Honor's Individual Rules and Practices, we write to respectfully request an adjournment of the initial conference currently scheduled for June 16, 2025, at 3:30 p.m. *See ECF No. 17.*

This is Plaintiffs' first request for an adjournment in this case. Plaintiffs request this adjournment due to multiple attorneys being unavailable on June 16, 2025. Plaintiffs have conferred with Defendant Southwest Airlines Co., who consents to this request. The parties are available for an initial conference on June 23–26, 2025 or July 7–11, 2025. If none of these dates are convenient for the Court, the parties are happy to provide additional availability.

We thank the Court for its attention to this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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